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Mr. Max Millikan  
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Dear Mr. Millikan:

I am pleased that you can attend the meeting called by the CED for January 3, 1952, to discuss problems involved in maintaining our national security. As you know, the meeting will be held at the Waldorf-Astoria Hotel in New York City, starting at 10 a.m. and continuing through luncheon until about 5 p.m. Enclosed are two memoranda prepared to supply general background for the meeting. One of these, "Estimating the Nature and the Magnitude of the External Threat to National Security", was prepared by Professor Harold D. Lasswell of Yale. The other, "Some Doubts About the U. S. Security Program", was prepared by Mr. Herbert Stein of the CED Research Office in Washington.

Sincerely,



Meyer Kestnbaum, Chairman  
Research and Policy Committee

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